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Doctors, as a rule, are reticent about their fees, but Dr. Willard Parker was paid $100,000 for the successful removal of an excrescence from the face and neck of the son and heir of one of the wealthiest families in the vicinity of New York.

Mrs. Wood of Kennebunk, Me., had been lame all her life, but she fell down stairs in a barn the other day and since then has walked as well as anybody; yet there is no indication staircases in modern are destined to supplant regular surgery.

In France, according to late statistics, there are no less than 2,000,000 married couples that are childless, 2,500,000 with one child, 2,300,000 with two, 1,500,000 with three, 1,000,000 with four, 500,000 with five, 300,000 with six, and 200,000 with seven or more.

Marshalltown, Iowa, has a very efficient mayor, if he is a little man from a physical point of view. A big, husky tramp was brought up before his honor for trial. The vagrant became insolent, and the mayor knocked him down and sat on him until sufficient help arrived to take him to prison. Then the mayor quietly called the next case.

The great Bear River Canal in Utah, for the construction of which $2,000,000 has been provided, is expected to be one of the most extensive irrigation works in this country. It will irrigate 200,000 acres in Salt Lake Valley and 6,000,000 on Bear River, increasing the value of the land to $50 an acre. Bear Lake is in eastern Idaho. The reservoir for the canal covers 150 square miles.

There are at present 1300 beet-sugar factories in Europe, and they consume 24,000,000 tons of beets every year. Their annual output of sugar amounts to 2,000,000 tons. It is said that over $80,000,000 are expended for labor and fuel, and that $100,000,000 are paid to farmers for beets. These figures are probably too high, but they serve to throw light upon the magnitude and importance of the industry.

The broker of the community, says a writer in the *Forum*, becomes the capitalist of the community. The Western mortgage brokers have been no exception to the rule. One of them in Kansas has made nearly $10,000,000 since 1870. The business developed rapidly. As increased capital has become necessary, individual brokers have given way to corporations. There are probably two hundred such Corporations now operating in Nebraska and Kansas alone.

The latest reported discovery in connection with the cotton seed comes from Germany, where, it is said, a process has been discovered for extracting sugar from cotton seed meal. The sugar is of a very superior grade, but cannot be sold in competition with the ordinary article. It is said to be inclined to ferment or sour, and hence better for use in preserving fruits. It is said to be fifteen times sweeter than cane sugar, and twenty times more so than sugar made from beets.

According to a recent official return, the length of the telegraph lines on the globe is at present about 600,000 miles, or 26 times its circumference at the equator. The length of wire is 1,688,880 miles, or 30 times the length of the equator. Europe has telegraph lines measuring 232,270 miles; America, 176,264; Asia, 50,375; Australia, 26,053; and Africa, 12,973 miles. These are the land lines. There are, besides, 950 submarine cables of a total length of 112,701 nautical miles.

The amount of the precious metals hoarded in India is simply enormous. It is estimated on good authority that there is now at least $650,000,000 in gold and $850,000,000 in silver hidden away in that country and completely lost to the world. The form which the hoarding takes is that of bullion or coin, and frequently the metal is made into ornaments, partly used for the purpose of adornment and partly kept as hoard. As a rule the native prefers it in the form of ornaments for his family, because it is a hoard, and it is also a source of gratification to them to possess these ornaments.

According to a recent experiment a valuable and important part of the cotton plant has hitherto been wasted. It occurred to a manufacturer of Helena, Ark., that some use could be made of the cotton stalk, and he sent a quantity of it to a factory in this city to be operated upon in the same manner as flax and hemp. The results were returned to him in the shape of about twenty different grades of fibrous material, from coarse strands of the stalk to the glossy fibre as soft as silk. A machine to spin the material is now under consideration. Should the claim be substantiated, that the fibre of the stalk is sufficiently strong to make the best of bagging, as well as cloth as fine as linen, the value of the discovery to the cotton growing states is plainly apparent. The extraction of the stalk takes about six hours and is effected by an electric process.

The Good and the Ill.

Speak a bad word and it echoes forever
Upward and downward the length of the earth;
Speak a good word and its music will never
Wander away from the place of its birth.
Write a bad sentence and nothing can banish
The freshness of words we would gladly undo;
Write a good thought and in air it will vanish;
The good we must ever and always renew.

ALICE'S FORTUNE.

BY HORATIO ALGER, JR.

"Sister Theodosia," said a feeble voice from the bed.

The Sister of Charity, a mild-faced woman of middle age, answered the summons of the dying man, and approached the bedside.

The dying man was Hector Moritz, a carpenter, who had fallen from a house which he was building, a few days before, and so injured himself that he could not recover. He lived, just outside the village of St. Barbe, with his little girl, Alice, now seven years old. His wife had died three years before, but Alice, child as she was, could make coffee and cook an omelet as skilfully as if she were twice as old, and had acted as her father's little housekeeper. So it happened that, being alone, an unusual affection had sprung up between Alice and her father.

The Sister of Charity approached the bedside. The sick man's face expressed anxiety, and his eye turned from the nurse to his little girl, who was pale and grief-stricken, yet had self-control enough not to betray her emotion lest it should distress her father in his last moments.

"What can I do for you, M. Moritz?" asked Sister Theodosia, in a gentle voice.

His glance wandered to his little girl once more.

"Alice," he gasped, "provided for."

"Do you mean that you wish Alice provided for?" asked the sister, striving to interpret his broken words.

"Already provided for — money there," and he pointed vaguely downwards.

"Poor man! He is wandering in mind," thought the sister,—for he was pointing to the floor; but she thought it best to appear to have understood him.

"Yes," she said gently, "have no anxiety." He looked at her wistfully, and then, seeming to think he was understood, he fell back upon the pillow from which he had lifted his head, and a moment after expired.

When Alice realized that her father was really dead, she gave way to excessive grief—so excessive that it soon wore itself out, leaving her pale and sorrowful. Sister Theodosia took her into her lap, and pressed her head against her bosom in sad compassion, for little Alice was now without father or mother.

In due time Hector Moritz was buried, and the next thing to be completed was, how should Alice be disposed of?

Hector Moritz left two near relatives, both cousins. One of these was a thriving tradesman in the next town, a man who had prospered, partly through his selfishness, which was excessive. The other, also residing in the next town, was a poor shoemaker with a large family, who found it hard enough to make both ends meet; but was, withal, kind and cheerful, beloved by the children for whom he could do so little, and popular in the village.

These two cousins met at the funeral of Hector Moritz.

"I suppose Hector died poor," said M. Ponchard, the tradsman, a little uneasily.

"This house is all he owned, so far as I know," said the notary, "and it is mortgaged for nearly its value."

"Humph! that is bad for the child," said M. Ponchard.

"I suppose you will take her home, M. Ponchard?" said the notary bluntly.

"We all know that you are a prosperous man."

The tradesman drew back.

"If I am prosperous," he said, "I have had to work for my money. It is all I can do to provide for my own family. I can't support other people's children."

"Then you won't do anything for the child?"

"I didn't say that. I'll give her twenty-five—nay, fifty francs. That's all I ought to do."

"And how long will fifty francs support her?" said the notary disdainfully, for he detested the meanness of the rich tradesman.

"That is not my affair. She need not starve. She can go to the almshouse."

"Who speaks of the almshouse?" spoke up M. Corbet, the poor shoemaker.

"M. Ponchard suggests that Alice go to the almshouse," said the notary.

"Not while I have a home to offer her," said the poor cousin warmly.

"But, M. Corbet," said the notary "you are poor. Can you afford, with your many children, to undertake an additional burden?"

"I never look on them as burdens—they are my joy and comfort," said M. Corbet. "I can't give Alice a luxurious home, but such as I have she is welcome to. I am sure the good God will not let me starve, if I undertake the care of my little orphan cousin."

"He's a fool!" thought M. Ponchard contemptuously. "He will always be miserably poor."

But the notary grasped his hand, and said,—"M. Corbet, I respect you. If you are not rich in money, you are rich in a good heart, and that is the best kind of riches."

So, no opposition being made, little Alice went home with the poor shoemaker. As for the cottage, that was left in the hands of the notary to sell. As already intimated, there was a mortgage upon it to nearly its full value, so that it was not likely to bring much over. What little there should be would go to Alice.

Several months passed without any opportunity to sell the cottage. During that time Alice remained at the house of M. Corbet, treated, I was about to say, like one of the family. This, however, would not be strictly correct. She was not treated like one of the family, but better than one of the family; in short, like a favored guest, for whom nothing was too good.

But unfortunately at this juncture, M. Corbet fell sick, and having always been compelled to live to the limit of his small income, had nothing saved up for the rainy day which had come upon him, and so the family were soon in a bad strait.

The notary heard of it and was stirred with compassion.

"If only Alice had something," he said to Sister Theodosia, whom he met one day at a sick bed; for the good Sister of Charity spent her time in tending the sick without compensation, "if only Alice had some small property she might come to the relief of her poor relation."

"And has she not?" asked Sister Theodosia.

"Nothing that I know of beyond the house, and upon that there is a mortgage to nearly its full value."

"But her father upon his death-bed told me that she was provided for."

"Did he, indeed?" asked the notary, surprised. "Did he say anthing more?"

"No, he was unable to; but he pointed to the floor. I am afraid he was out of his head, and meant nothing."

"Stop! I have an idea," said the notary suddenly. "Can you leave for a few minutes, and go with me to the cottage?"

"Yes, I can be spared for half an hour," said Sister Theodosia.

Together they went to the cottage, which chanced to be close by.

"Now," said the notary, when they were once inside, "to what part of the floor did M. Moritz point? Can you remember?"

"There," said the sister.

"Very well; we will soon see whether there is anything in my idea."

The notary procured a hatchet, and succeeded after a time in raising a plank of the floor, Sister Theodosia looking on, meanwhile, with surprise.

But her surprise was increased when on the plank being raised, a box was discovered underneath.

"Help me lift it," said the notary.

With the aid of the hatchet, he removed the cover of the box, and the two uttered an exclamation of surprise when underneath they found a large collection of gold coins. On the top was placed a sheet of note paper, on which were written these words, in the handwriting of the deceased:

"The gold in this box represents the savings of many years. It is for my daughter, Alice. For her sake I have lived frugally, and I hope it may save her from want when I am gone. HECTOR MORITZ."

"How much is there?" asked Sister Theodosia.

"There are two hundred and fifty Napoleons. These make five thousand francs. Truly, M. Moritz must have been frugal to save so much."

"Then little Alice is an heiress," said Sister Theodosia.

"It is as you say."

"I am very glad. Now she can pay her board to M. Corbet, and he will lose nothing by his kindness."

"I will go tonight and tell him."

The poor shoemaker was still sick, and his money had wholly given out, so that the family had had no supper.

"I am sorry you are sick, my friend," said the notary.

"Yes," said the poor shoemaker, sighing; "it is unfortunate."

"M. Corbet, you are a good man, and truly charitable. But I have good news for you."

"Good news? Well, it could never come at a better time."

"You thought Alice was poor.

"And she is not?"

"On the contrary, she is an heiress."

"What do you mean?"

"Her father left five thousand francs for her fortune."

"Is that true?" asked the shoemaker and his wife, bewildered.

"Yes; and therefore it is only fitting that she should pay her board. How long has she been here?"

"Four months."

"Seventeen weeks. Now, as her father's executor, I am going to allow you eight francs a week, and you shall undertake to provide her with a home and clothing. For seventeen weeks, then, that she has been here I owe you one hundred and twenty-six francs. I pay it to you at once."

"But it is too much," said M. Corbet, surveying the gold with stupefaction, for he had never seen as much before.

"It is right."

"We are saved!" said his wife, thankfully. "I will go out and buy some bread. Children, you shall have some supper."

At this there was a shout of joy from the children, and tears of gratitude flowed down the cheeks of the poor shoemaker, who pointed to Alice, and said:—

"She has brought me good fortune."

Before the money was half expended, the shoemaker had recovered, and went to work again. The eight francs a week he received for Alice proved a great help to him, and enabled him to procure more comforts than before.

From that time M. Corbet prospered, and was even able to save up money, and all through his unselfish kindness to little Alice, through whom he believes good fortune has come to him and his.—*Yankee Blade.*

Squatter Life in Old Hulks.

In coming across the Hoboken Ferry attention was called by an old Jerseyite to a point on the shore of our neighboring State. "I often think," he said, "that many men are like rats, and love to live in holes and ruins. Up there is a mass of canalboats and river craft, which have been wrecked beyond all possibility of restoration, and which will be there until they have rotted away or have been destroyed by the local authorities. Yet, all of those old hulks that are habitable are tenanted by squatters, who have converted the decaying interiors into quiet, cozy and comfortable quarters. They pay no rent or taxes, but vote with great regularity. Though the site would seem dangerous, so far as children are concerned, mishaps seldom occur. The young ones are simply water rats. In summer they are in the water four and five times a day, and are so tough and hardened that they plunge in as early as March and as late as November. It is hardly needful to add that they are strong and healthy."

A bystander who heard the old Jerseyite remarked: "Hoboken does not monopolize the business of utilizing wornout hulks for human habitation. Brooklyn in this regard leads the United States. There are homes of this class in the great basins around Gowanus and on Newtown Creek. I think that the water population of the City of Churches must be close on to a thousand. They have a simple system of repairing the walls and roof of their houses; that is to say, the sides and the decks of their boats. They throw tomato cans into a bonfire until the solder is melted and the can is converted into a big sheet of metal. This they nail over any hole, and keep on nailing others until the shell is a veritable tin-clad."—*N. Y. Star.*

Famous Amazons of Dahomey.

The Republic of France is at war with the King of Dahomey, and a French newspaper published the information that a battle had been fought, in which eight combatants were killed and many wounded. The interesting fact in the dispatch lay in the last lines: "Among the dead were found some of the female warriors of the King of Dahomey." Who are these Amazons?

About one-fourth of the females are said to be married to the fetish, many even before their birth, and the remainder are entirely at the disposal of the King. The most favored are selected as his own wives, or enlisted into the regiments of Amazons, and then the chief men are liberally supplied.

The Amazons form the flower of the army. They are marshaled into regiments, each with its distinctive uniform and badges, and they take the post of honor on the flanks of the battle line. Their number has been variously estimated at from one to six thousand. Their weapons are blunderbusses, flat muskets and bows and arrows. They are in part recruited in a remarkable manner. If a woman in Dahomey has an acrid temper, or if her husband wants to get rid of her, he honors himself by presenting her to the King, who, if she has the requisite physical qualifications, turns her over to his army officers to be drilled as an Amazon.

It is said that at the death of the King a horrid scene ensues. The wives, after the most extravagant demonstrations of grief, attack and murder each other, and remain in an uproar until order is restored by the new sovereign.

Freezing Process in Tunnelling.

The freezing process is being effectively used in the cutting of the St. Clair tunnel under the Detroit River. Whenever water is met with the freezing mixture is projected by pipes, and the water and friable debris become solidified, and the work can be proceeded with. The tunnelling is progressing at the rate of seven feet per day at each end. The shields are being used, in the hard blue clay, by digging out the centre with picks, and then pushing them forward eighteen inches at a time by hydraulic rams.

A Policeman's Life.

There is an opinion very commonly held that the members of the police force have, as the saying is, a "regular picnic." To my mind nothing could be further from the truth. To those who are thoroughly acquainted with the duties and the life of a policeman it is perfectly plain that those public servants earn every dollar they receive from the city treasury. I was riding on a Third avenue "dummy" train the other day, when I saw one member of the force whose lot, at least, was not enviable. He looked like a new recruit, too, but he bore himself like a hero. He certainly possessed some of the spirit which enabled the early martyrs to face the rack and the wild beasts of the Colosseum with a smile. It was, if I remember rightly, at Fifty-sixth street or thereabouts. The officer was with one arm supporting and leading an intoxicated woman, while on the other arm he carried an infant bundled up in rags. The mother was singing, the baby was crying and a crowd of urchins at the officer's heels were hooting and laughing. I felt sorry for the poor fellow.—*Brooklyn Citizen.*

An Astonished Policeman.

The average policeman is easily frightened or annoyed. For instance: Over on the West Side the other day a lady had been taking advantage of the mild weather by sitting in a rocking-chair upon the covered veranda of her house. Of a sudden she thought of some direction to be given to the cook and she quickly arose and went inside. A second later a typical policeman turned the adjacent corner, and he saw the chair rocking violently backward and forward. His face wore an amazed look. In a moment the lady returned to resume her comfortable seat and discovered the policeman regarding the moving chair with an alarmed expression. Pretty soon he recovered himself sufficiently to approach and remark to the astonished lady that he "had been wonderin' what made de chair rock w'en dere waz nobody sittin' in it." After this break the lady went indoors to look up Mr. Webster's unabridged definition of "obtuse."—*Chicago Herald.*

Amputation as a Cure.

Apropos of the recent amputation of Count Okuma's leg as a result of the attempt to assassinate him, *Mainichi Shimbun* gives Dr. Sato, a Japanese surgeon of very high eminence, as authority for an assertion that the general effect of cutting off a leg or an arm is to increase the physical activity of the sufferer. The well-known surgeon even goes so far as to predict, according to the same journal, that as medical science progresses, amputation of a hand or an arm will probably be resorted to as a cure for phlegmatic nerves. He says that among the persons wounded in the American war of secession, many who suffered amputation of a limb are known to have gained greatly in muscle and spryness, and he instances the case of the remarkable gymnast in Chiarini's circus who had only one leg, the other having been lost in the same war.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Confidence in the Old Horse.

The little son of General Crittenden was devoted to his father's war-horse, that was named for the illustrious John J. Crittenden, of Kentucky, the child's grandfather. He asked his father to tell him of a retreat he made during the war, but at a certain point said, "Father, were you on John J.?" Being answered affirmatively, the youngster slid down from the paternal knee, and was toddling off as fast as his little legs could carry him, when his father, said:

"Where are you going, my son?"

"Father," he said, turning and showing a face full of reproach, "John J. never would have retreated if you hadn't turned him 'round."

This same boy grew to manhood, and died with his face to the foe with Custer and his men on the Little Big Horn.—*Harper's Magazine.*

Full of Spirits.

Mr. Wildflower (timidly)—I hope you will excuse my behavior of last evening, Miss Jones, but I was so full of—of—"

Miss Jones (frigidly)—I have not the slightest curiosity to know what you were full of, Mr. Wildflower.

Mr. Wildflower (desperately)—But you misunderstand me. It was not alcohol I was full of, but spirits.

Miss Jones (contemptuously)—Spirits! pooh! another name for the same thing, sir!"—*Harper's Weekly.*

Cured.

Binks (after a long absence)—And how is Jiuks getting along? Is he as madly in love with Miss De Pretty as ever?

Old Friend—Oh, he's all over that.

"You don't say so."

"Yes, indeed. Been married to her a year."

And Not Half Try.

Alonzo—Oh, Bessie, I wish I had ability enough to make something of myself.

Bobby—Papa says you have for making a fool of yourself.—*Binghampton Republican.*

A $500 COTTAGE.

Description of a Neat, Low-Cost Residence—Special Features.

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A correlative of the petition "Give me neither poverty nor riches," might read give me not a large mansion but a small cottage in which to dwell.

The mansion costs a great sum, so great indeed that a good man may well be disturbed sometimes while viewing his superfluous luxuries by the reflection that there are thousands of his fellow creatures who are not provided with the barest necessities of life; the cottage is of low cost, leaving the conscience clear and the heart merry. The mansion involves the wearisome labor of superintending servants; the cottage imposes the easy tasks of simple housework. The mansion requires workmen to make repairs; the cottage may be easily watched and promptly repaired—"a stitch in time"—by the owner. The owner of a mansion must have a large income; the owner of a cottage and a fertile acre or two is practically independent, the labor of his hands providing fruit, vegetables, poultry, etc., sufficient for his needs.

A touching picture is seen, suggestive of nobility of character, when an elderly couple resume the simple cottage life of their early wedded years. Their lives have been too unselfish to permit the acquisition of wealth. They educated their children and started them in prosperous careers and now they have planned to be self-supporting to the

PERSPECTIVE VIEW.

end. The sons and daughters, however honored and prosperous, who do not kiss the labor-browned hands of such parents are not worthy of the name they bear.

Following will be found a brief description of the design illustrating this article.

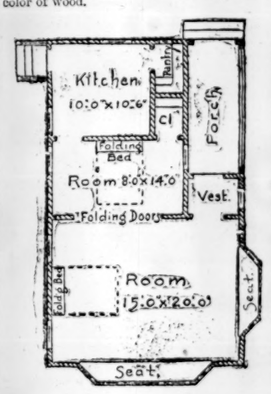
Size of Structure: Width, 23 ft.; depth, 36 ft. 6 in.

Materials for Exterior: Foundations, posts or piers; side walls and roof, shingles.

Height of Story: 10 ft.

Interior Finish: Smoothed and chamfered studding and ceiling joists to be left exposed. Walls between studding and ceiling joists to be papered. Flooring and all trim of windows and doors to be of white pine or other soft wood. All doors and sashes of manufactured stock sizes. The windows that command fine views should be glazed with plate glass; all other windows with double thick glass. All interior woodwork to be varnished, showing natural colors.

Exterior Colors: All side shingling, cream; all trim, mouldings and veranda rails, dark red; veranda posts and balusters, cream; outside blinds and doors, roof and chimneys, dark red; underside of roof overhang, cream; porch floor and ceiling oiled, showing natural color of wood.



FLOOR PLAN.

Accommodations: All of the rooms are shown by the floor plan. The attic is floored and is reached by a step ladder. No cellar is provided, at this cottage, built as described, is intended for summer occupancy only. To fit it for winter use a cellar under the whole house should be built at an additional cost of about $200; and the interior walls of the cottage should be plastered at an additional cost of $75.

Special Features: The large bays may be said to give character to the exterior of this design as well as to provide attractive features within. With cushions provided for the bay window seats, the sitting-room is indeed a comfortable place. The overhanging roof gives an appearance of large size. The chimneys (one over the kitchen and one over the sitting-room) are simple and inexpensive, but substantial, built of terra cotta resting on the ceiling joists.

Cost: In all localities where the prices for labor and materials are about the same as those of New York city, $500.

R. W. SHOPPELL, Architect.

APRIL CROP REPORT.

Good Average for Wheat and Rye—Winter Exposure Disastrous.

The condition of winter wheat on April 1, as reported by the Statistician of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, averages 81 for the entire breadth. The general average for rye is 92.8. Seeding was late in the States of the central valleys, because of drouth and the soil was therefore not in the best condition; but the mild winter continued growth until the plants were too luxuriant to withstand the usual vicissitudes of March. Recent frosts have cut down the growing plants generally, and in wet or submerged areas the roots have been destroyed. There are reports of recuperation by sprouting and renewed growth in this region. Where the roots are intact, great improvement will follow with good weather. The fact that the roots are so well developed is favorable to improvement.

In the South the soil was generally in better condition, and the early sown developed rapidly, and in December and January suffered more or less from attacks of the Hessian fly. In March frosts were general, discoloring and sometimes killing the plants down to the ground, but not injuring the roots except in wet places. The crop looks brown in New York, but the State agent believes it is better than it looks. The other Middle States return wheat in good condition.

The Pacific Coast has had an extraordinary amount of rain and snow, which have delayed seeding and injured the early sown areas.

The report of condition of farm animals makes averages as follows: Horses, 97.4; cattle, 94.1; sheep, 93.7; swine, 95.6. The loses from winter exposure of cattle have been heavy in the Northern Rocky Mountain belt and on the Pacific Coast. The reports indicate the loss by exposure throughout the country of more than a million cattle and still larger losses of sheep.

ALL FIVE WERE DEAD.

A Russian Family Prefers Suicide to Poverty.

The city of Moscow, Russia, has been shocked by the discovery of the self annihilation of a family to escape the suffering of poverty. The victims, who were the widow and five daughters of an army officer, locked themselves in a room and turned on the gas. When discovered all were dead from suffocation.

A TERRIBLE AFFLICTION.

Spotted Fever Causes Consternation in Kentucky.

Spotted fever broke out in Union County, Ky., and the wildest consternation prevailed for a time. It made its first appearance at Hanshaw, and since that time a score of children have been attacked, and in each case fatally. The disease is identical in all its symptoms with that which last summer carried off 250 victims in Webster and adjoining county. In that epidemic neither sex nor age was spared. Only children have been attacked this year. The disease runs its course inside of thirty-six hours. Its approach is heralded by intense pain at the base of the brain. A burning fever specially follows. The tongue becomes swollen and hard, unconsciousness ensues and death follows.

A REGIMENT OF REDSKINS.

A Proposition to Enlist 1000 Indians in the Regular Army.

Secretary of War Proctor has submitted to the Interior Department officials a proposition to enlist 1000 Indians into the regular army. It is proposed to officer the regiment with graduates from West Point, the subordinate grades to be filled by pupils who have been educated at the Eastern schools for Indians. The details of the plan have not as yet been fully matured, but it is the opinion of Secretary Proctor that the Indians can be received into the regular army in a separate regiment both to their own advantage and that of the Government.

A NOVEL WEDDING.

Mother and Daughter Simultaneously Married in Illinois.

A novel matrimonial event occurred a few days ago at Galena, Ill., a mother and daughter standing at the altar together and both taking upon themselves the vows of wedlock, the grandmother of the junior bride acting as bridesmaid. The parties, male and female, to the unique affair were William Hammond, of Dubuque, and Mrs. Mary J. Reddington, of Galena, and Louis Bourinelyn, of Warren, and Miss E. J. Reddington. The first named lady is on the shady side of fifty and her daughter is a comely maiden of twenty.

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

THE Czar of Russia has recovered his health.

GENERAL ALFRED T. TERRY now lives in New Haven, Conn.

LORD SALISBURY, Prime Minister of England, weighs 230 pounds.

PRINCESS BEATRICE, of England, is very portly, weighing 210 pounds.

THE Emperor William, of Germany, wears a bracelet on his right wrist.

POSTMASTER-GENERAL WANAMAKER'S life is said to be insured for $1,700,000.

THE late General Crook died worth only about one thousand dollars, all told.

THE King of Greece is the best tennis player among the royalties of Europe.

THE late Sir William Gull, the London physician, left a fortune of $1,750,000.

ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON, the novelist, and King Malietoa, of Samoa, have become quite friendly.

QUEEN VICTORIA has had to visit the sulphur baths at Aix-les-Bains to check her rheumatic troubles.

SENATOR BLAIR, of New Hampshire, is said to have lost twenty-five pounds since the opening of Congress.

MURAT HALSTEAD, editor of the Cincinnati *Commercial-Gazette*, has made trained journalists of all his sons.

JOAQUIN MILLER, the "Poet of the Sierras," writes the worst hand in the United States and does not spell correctly.

JOHN I. BLAIR, of Blairsville, N. J., the railway magnate, is seventy-eight years old, with the appearance of a man of sixty.

MISS WINNIE DAVIS, "the Daughter of the Confederacy," is said to be engaged to a Mr. Alfred Wilkinson, of Syracuse, N. Y.

MRS. HENRY WARD BEECHER is attracting a good deal of attention at Palatka, Fla. Though her hair is white she is remarkably active.

THE last eye witness of the battle of Trafalgar has just died at Sittingbourne, England, Joseph Southerland, a centenarian seaman.

GENERAL CAPRIVI, Bismarck's successor, is an inveterate smoker. He smokes a pipe now and then, but he usually takes his tobacco in the form of cigarettes.

GENERAL GREELY, the Chief of the Signal Service, is in receipt daily of at least twenty letters from men who solemnly hold him personally responsible for the weather.

GENERAL FRANCIS E. SPINNER, ex-Treasurer of the United States, writes from Jacksonville, Fla., that the cancer on his face is rapidly growing worse, and it is not at all likely that his life will be spared much longer.

BARON HIRSCH, the wealthy German Hebrew, is said to have promised to contribute $10,000 a month for the betterment of the condition of the Russian Jews who have immigrated to this country. He is said to be worth $100,000,000.

NEWSY GLEANINGS.

A Swiss cashier has stolen $200,000.

THERE are half a million cyclists in England.

RICH opal discoveries have been made in Mexico.

THERE are said to be fifty acres in mammoth saw-mills in Georgia.

DISTURBANCES among the Russian students continue with unabated vigor.

ALL kinds of dried fruit and oranges are selling at unusually high prices.

A STREAM of Chinese is now pouring over the Mexican border in California.

THE Penobscot River (Me.) ice harvest amounts to more than 550,000 tons.

THE crops in Prussia are mostly in good condition. The winter caused little damage.

THE damage to young orange trees in Florida by the frost is estimated at $1,000,000.

A SYNDICATE has bought up the ferries between New York and Brooklyn at high figures.

RECENTLY in the United States Senate 113 private pension bills were passed in sixty minutes.

THE Japanese National Industrial Exhibition buildings at Tokio cover nearly ten acres of ground.

A PROJECT is under way to establish a Methodist University of a high order at Washington, D. C.

TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED Mormons from Utah are reported to be ready to migrate to Canada this spring.

NEW ORLEANS has increased in population from 216,000 in 1880, to 336,000 in 1890. This is 120,000 in ten years.

DURING three fires in February and March in Tokio, the capital of Japan, 2547 houses were entirely destroyed.

OVER fifty Union veterans, men who have honorable records in the army, are now in the Cook County (Ill.) poorhouse.

IT is stated that the Emperor of Germany has written to the Czar of Russia strongly advising him to make liberal concessions to the people.

IN Colorado there is a boom in the Shetland-pony line. It is stated that there are upward of a thousand breeding Shetlands in that State.

ALTHOUGH the work of rebuilding Johnstown, Penn., has progressed with great rapidity there are still 1000 houses less than before the flood.

THE Eiffel tower, which has been closed since the Paris Exposition, is about to be reopened. It has been overhauled and refitted as to platforms and other accommodations for the public.

IN Ramsey County, North Dakota, there are 1200 people who will require to be furnished the necessaries of life until July.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

MCKEAN captains Cleveland's League team.

THE Pittsburg League Club has signed Dunlap.

PAUL HINES will play first for Pittsburg's League Club.

CATCHER GANZEL will captain Boston's League team.

THERE is talk of some of the baseball clubs going to Mexico next fall.

DEACON WHITE will cover first for the Buffalo Players' League Club.

THE seating capacity of most of the Brotherhood grounds is about 20,000.

WITH the addition of Getzein, Boston's League team now has four pitchers.

THERE is a general sigh of relief that there will be no more baseball played in the courts.

"BILLY" SUNDAY has been appointed assistant manager of the Pittsburg League Club.

A BASEBALL league has been organized in Manchester, England. It consists of one club.

SECOND BASEMAN DUNLAP has drawn $19,000 in four years from the National League.

STAGG, the famous Yale pitcher, will play ball this season and eventually enter the ministry.

SHARROTT and Fricken, pitchers of the New York League Club, are called the "boy wonders."

IN all leagues, both big and little, the order has now gone forth that all umpires must be uniformed.

PITCHER TITCOMB, of last season's New York Club, has signed with the Toledo American Association team.

SHORTSTOP LONG, of the Boston League Club, has already captured the Hub by his remarkably fine fielding.

WHILE the Brotherhood people are jubilant over the situation, the National League magnates are not downcast.

MULVEY has been blacklisted by the Philadelphia League Club, and will never again be allowed to play ball in the League.

THE Philadelphia Brotherhood won six out of the nine preliminary exhibition games played with the Brooklyn Players' Club.

IF is quite likely that Princeton's great outfielder, Durell, will join the Athletics of Philadelphia as soon as the college term expires.

OHIO will be a baseball State in earnest next year with two cities in the League, two in the Association, one in the Players' League and six in the Tri-State League.

ONE of the oddities of the season is the fact that all of the heretofore "dead" arm pitchers have regained the old-time use of their pitching arms and are ready to sign for the season.

NOT many years ago the American Association fought one whole winter to settle who was entitled to the services of "Sam" Barkley. Now "Sammy" has his ear to the ground waiting to be called.

IT is said that the way Captain Glasscock, of last year's Indianapolis Club, encouraged young Russie to better work last year was to promise the pitcher that if he won the game he could pitch again on the next day.

GIL HATFIELD, who is playing shortstop on the New York Players' team, is surprising every one. He gave great promise last season, and before the season ends it is believed he will be capable of equaling Ward's work.

TEMPERANCE is to be enforced by the Players' League, and the men who fail to live up to the rules will be expelled. There are some men in the new organization who are expected to tipple, but they will find themselves out of employment if they drink.

OF the fifteen leading batsmen of the League last year twelve are with the Players' League. They are Brouthers, Carroll, Ewing, Ryan, Van Haltren, Jim O'Rourke, Connor, Seery, Fields, Duffy, Gore and Hardie Richardson. The three who stay with the League are Glasscock, Anson and Tiernan.

A SUCCESSFUL minor league, from a financial point of view, has been a rarity in baseball. Still, the usual order of things ought to be reversed this year in the case of the Atlantic Association. No junior league was ever started under more auspicious circumstances. The circuit is well proportioned and the traveling expenses will be light compared to those of other leagues.

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC.

AUSTRIA pensions her ballet girls when they reach the age of fifty.

RICE AND DIXEY, manager and star of "Adonis," have dissolved partnership.

THE Park Theatre, New Castle, Penn., was lately destroyed by fire. Loss, $19,000.

IT is understood that Miss Cochran's (Nellie Bly) lecture tour is not proving a success.

ZELIE DE LUSSAN, the soprano, has made a great success in "Carman" at Manchester, England.

TAMAGNO, the tenor, was a baggage porter before his remarkable powers of voice were revealed.

IT has cost D'Oyley Carte, the English impresario, about $40,000 to play "The Gondoliers" in this country.

MISS EMMA JUCH, the famous singer, has purchased real estate in nearly all the growing cities of the Northwest.

MRS. JAMES BROWN POTTER, the American society actress, is said to have been phenomenally successful at Melbourne, Australia.

THE new Madison Garden Theatre, New York city, when completed, will be dedicated with "Dr. Bill," London's latest dramatic success.

ALL the operas sung at the Metropolitan Opera House, New York city, during the Patti season, the oldest, the most "hackneyed," the most tuneful, paid the best.

A PLAY, founded upon the careers of Flood, Mackay and O'Brien, the bonanza kings, is shortly to be acted in New York city by Dan Sully. It is called "The Millionaire."

WILLIAM J. FLORENCE, the comedian, following in the footsteps of his colleague, Mr. Jefferson, is about to publish his reminiscences, or as he prefers to call them, his memoirs.

EDWIN BOOTH will only appear for twelve weeks next season, and it will be divided between, New York, Boston and Philadelphia. The tragedian's aversion to travel increases with his years.

THE Spanards intend to perpetuate the memory of their favorite tenor, Gayarre, by striking a medal in his honor and placing his bust and memorial tablet on the front of the house where he died.

MAX ALVARY, the German tenor, who left New York some time ago because the Metropolitan Opera management would not give him $600 a night, recently filled an engagement of four nights at Munich for about $600 a night.

THE engagement of Miss Mary Anderson to Mr. Antonio de Navarro, the Cuban millionaire, now a resident of New York city, is now certain, as letters have been received in which he announces it, and also says that the wedding may take place in Lodon.

CONGO WHITE MEN.

The Population Has Increased Ninefold Within the Past Few Years.

The Congo State in the heart of Africa has just taken a census of the white population living in its territory. It finds that 450 white persons, including a few women, are now living in the Free State. The largest white population is at Boma, fifty miles up the river, where 141 Europeans live. At Banana, the mouth of the river, there are eighty-eight whites. Matadi, the point where the Congo Railroad begins, will soon be second in white population, as the railroad enterprise is beginning to take a good many white men there.

Among the white residents 175 are Belgians, forty-five are English, and only eighteen, chiefly missionaries, are Americans. When Stanley, eleven years ago, began his work on the river there were only about fifty white men there, all on the lower river, while now nearly a hundred whites live at and above Leopoldville on Stanley Pool.

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THE TARIFF AND TRUSTS.

The democratic papers assert that the Tariff is responsible for the oppressive Trusts. They keep repeating it and sing it into the ears of the people so noisily that a good many, after a hasty and superficial study of the subject, conclude that it must be so.

Look at England. It is a free trade country. It is plastered all over with trusts. The Democrats would be hooted out of town if they should stand up in an English city and gravely announce that the trusts of which their hearers were complaining, were caused by the tariff. But the fact is, the trusts are there. The English people are complaining of them.

It is only in protected America that the free traders have the collossal impudence to claim that trusts are created by the tariff. It is impossible to say so, for it is an intimation that the man who is told this is a fool, and doesn't know what is going on in the commercial world. How can the tariff be responsible for the trusts where, as in England, there is no tariff.

Imagine Senator Vance rising up in the House of Commons at London to inform his hearers that the trusts of which England now complains were caused by a protective tariff. They would question his sanity. But he can say the same thing in the American Senate, and the Democratic papers will all quote him as authority.

Not only is the example of England with its free trade and gigantic trusts an answer to the charge, but the fact that some of the largest trusts in this country control the manufacture of articles upon which there is no tariff at all, gives further proof of the falsity of the democratic assertion. Then, too, additional evidence is found in the fact that there is no trust at all among the great staples, such as woolen and cotton goods, leather, boots and shoes, etc., on which duties are high.

Now the reason for this is obvious. The tariff affords protection to home manufacturers against foreign competition, The result is to stimulate production, increase the number of factories and diminish the possibility of being swallowed up by trusts,

OUR HOME MARKET.

The home market is the great market, the chief market worth considering—and the party, which under any pretense, aims to impair its consuming power, should be denounced as the enemy of agricultural prosperity, and of all American industries. The census of 1890 will show that the American people are now producing useful products of the value of not less than $14,000,000,000 annually. Our total exports amount to $700,000,000, about 5 per cent only. The census will also show that we are turning out mining and manufacturing products worth about $140,000,000, or about 2 per cent. The home market takes 95 per cent of our total productions, and 98 per cent of our manufacturing and mining products.

The value of our home market, and hence its power to consume our productions, depends wholly and absolutely on the earning power of our people We can command foreign markets freely by reducing wages one-half, Thereby we can have a larger export trade, and the men engaged in foreign commerce, in unproductive industry, in our great sea-ports can reap harvests of wealth. But the earning power of the people in all branches of productive industry will be cut down in proportion.

Is it possible that any faction or political party can live when the people comprehend that this is their purpose, or the inevitable consequence of their policy?

In speaking of the late Hon. Samuel J, Randall, ex-Judge Waterbury of New York said;

"Sam Randall entered Congress when the Democratic party was going to the bad. He saved it from perdition. The party rewarded him by sending him to perdition. I never knew a man who was the victim of baser ingratitude from his own party than this statesman who has just left us,"

The Pan-American Congress, before adjournment, reached an agreement to settle by arbitration all national disputes between any two of the Republics of North, South and Central America. This is an important step towards peace.

It is a fact that under our protective system the American workingman earns more, spends more and saves more than any other wage earner on the globe.

American wheels are the best in the world. The free traders, however, insist that we ought to buy all our wheels of English laborers.

FOOLISH DEMAGOGUERY.

At a meeting of the Farmers' Alliance in one of the Western States a resolution was adopted denouncing the interference of the Supreme Court with an unconstitutional enactment and demanded its abolishment. This smacks of demagoguism and places that branch of the organization directly at variance with a fundamental principle of our American system of government.

Take away from the Courts the power to check unrighteous acts on the part of the Congress or of the State Legislatures, and there is no possible guarantee for the stability of any existing institution, however firmly it may appear established. Without this legal check government would necessarily degenerate into mere mob law, whenever any set of demagogues should be able to influence a sufficiently large number of voters to frighten legislators with subserviency to their will.

It is easy to understand how a farmer who knows nothing of fundamental laws should imagine that the Congress of the United States has power to overturn them and establish a new set of principles, but the men who undertake a great national movement ought to be capable of seeing the folly of any such undertaking. Our farmer friends might as well try to abolish the law of gravitation by act of Congress as to accomplish what the resolution referred to demands. Man can direct and very largely control the operation of national law or certain settled principles, but he has no power to abolish either the one or the other. To attempt it is simply to knock one's head against a stone wall. A man's head is an infinitely greater and more important thing than a stone wall; nevertheless when they are brought into collision it is not the wall that gets hurt.

A synopsis of the report of the Republican Committee, accompanying the new tariff bill, is given in another column.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

[From our Regular Correspondent.]

WASHINGTON, April 18, 1890.

Senator Mitchell is in dead earnest about his proposed constitutional amendment for the election of members of the United States Senate by direct vote of the people, and has given notice that he will address the Senate in its favor next Tuesday. If Mr. Mitchell can convince the Senate to pass the amendment it would be almost certain to become a law, as far as Congress is concerned, as there is a large and growing sentiment in the House in favor of such a change, and it seems to be generally believed here that such a change will eventually be made.

The funeral of Hon. Samuel J. Randall who died last Sunday, took place here yesterday morning from the Presbyterian church that he attended when well; it was in accordance with his request. strictly the funeral of a private citizen.

The Three America's Congress has adjourned *sine die*. and its members have gone South on a tour of inspection. The President and Mr. Blaine both express themselves as much pleased with the work of the Congress.

A joint committee of the House and Senate consisting of Senators Aldrich, Allison, Sherman, Jones and Teller, and Representatives Conger. McKinley, Bayne, McKenna and Bartine are engaged in preparing a silver bill which is to be submitted to a republican caucus of both Houses, and if approvsd, is to be pushed through immediately. The amount of coinage under it will not it is thought be less than $4,500,000, per month.

The republican leaders in the House have been doing some figuring on the business to be transacted at the present session, and they have concluded that by rushing things a little it will be possible to adjourn by July 1. For some unaccountable reason the democrats seem to be opposed to an early adjournment,

The United States Supreme Court has rendered a decision sustaining the U. S Circuit Court which released Neagle the deputy Marshal who killed Judge Terry who was about to make an attack upon Justice Field in California last summer. The only two democrats who sat in the case—Chief Justice Fuller and Justice Lamar—dissented, They still cling to the old Calhoun doctrine of state rights and think that Neagle should have been tried by the State courts, notwithstanding that he was a U. S. officer and what the shooting was done in performance of his duty.

By hook or crook the democrats succeeded in postponing the Montana Senatorial case until late Wednesday afternoon when it was settled by the decisive vote of 36 to 26 in favor of the republican contestants, who were immediately sworn in.

Mrs. Skinner.

Washington Star.

The wife of Thomas Gregory Skinner, the Representative of the first congressional district of North Carolina, is an attractive type of the ladies of the "Old North State." She was a Miss Jessie Pailin and was born in the valley of the Pasquotank, the picturesque water link between the Dismal Swamp and Albemarle Sound. In her maiden days she was celebrated as a great belle in that picturesque region. Her education was mainly in the excellent schools of Elizabeth City, the county seat of Pasquotank. Her father, a large planter and owning important fishing interests on the sound waters near his estate, is a man of high repute in that section of the state. In 1884 the belle of Pasquotank became the wife of the distinguished counsellor and Representative from the neighboring county of Perquimans Mr. Skinner entered the national Congress in 1883 and at the beginning of the second session introduced to the social world of the capital his charming bride. Mrs. Skinner was cordially greeted by the ladies in fashionable circles, and in the drawing rooms of that exceptionally gay season was greatly admired for her grace and gifts. After an intermission of two years Representative and Mrs. Skinner resumed their places in the congressional and social life of the capital.

The New Tariff Bill Reported.

The committee in making their report on the new Tariff bill say that it was the aim to fix the duties upon that class of manufactured goods and farm products which can be supplied at home so as to discourage the use of like foreign goods and products, and secure to our own people and our own producers the home market, believing that competition among ourselves will secure reasonable prices to consumers in the future, as it has invariably done in the past.

We seek by the increased duties recommended not only to maintain but to enlarge our own manufacturing plants and check those supplies from abroad which can be profitably produced at home. The general policy of the bill is to foster and promote American production and diversification of American industry. We have not been so much concerned about the prices of the article we consume as we have been.

To encourage a system of home production that shall give fair remuneration to domestic producers and fair wages to American workmen and by increased production and home competition insure fair prices to consumers. The committee admits that free trade or revenue duties would temporarily diminish prices, but argued that it would be at the expense of the domestic products which would be displaced and then prices would again advance and the country be left at at the mercy of foreign syndicates and manufacturers.

The report says: Cheaper products from abroad to the American consumers mean cheaper labor at home and lower rewards to the domestic producer, with no permanent benefits to the consumer.

Neither condition would prove a blessing to the United States That country is least prosperous where low prices and low wages prevail. One of the chief complaints now prevalent among our farmers is that they can get no price for their crops at all commensurate to the labor and capital invested in their production Those who differ from us must believe that even further agricultural depression is desirable, for no other consequence can result from their economic theories, They advocate cheap prices as the chief object of the industrial policy they commend to the country. This means permanently low prices for agricultural products as well as for manufactured goods.

This bill is framed in the interest of the people of the United States. It is for the better defense of American homes and American industries.

We have realized, the committee says, that a reduction of duties below the difference between the cost of labor and production in competing countries and our own would result either in the abandonment of much of our manufacturing here or in the depression of our labor. Either result would bring disaster, the extent of which no one can measure. We have recommended no duty above the point of difference between the normal cost of production here, including labor, and the cost of like production in the countries which seek our markets.

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The Change of Fifty Years.

New York Sun.

Any one who may have been familiar with the farming population of New England and New York fifty years ago, can appreciate how great that change has been. Then the farmer and his boys worked habitually through all the daylight of the twenty-four hours; and it is not too much to say that in the busy season in the spring, summer and early autumn, their hours of labor, and of hard labor, averaged quite fifteen a day. Their diet was very simple and economical, Except tea and salt their food was all regularly produced on the farm. Corned beef and salt port, with potatoes, beans, cabbages and turnips, formed the staple articles of consumption; in New England, bread of Indian corn was much more frequent than bread of wheat; and roast turkey and mince pie at Thanksgiving furnished the feast of that great anniversary. Their clothing clothing was equally primitive. The wool and the flax, spun, woven, cut, and made up by the mother of the household, yielded the main outfit of the family. One black silk dress, lasting for years, was the only showy garb of the farmer's wife. Such a thing as a piano was unheard of. A monthly agricultural newspaper, or a country weekly, with the Bible and the Pilgrim's Progress, formed the main literature of the home. It was a laborious life, and equally toilsome for women and men; luxury was unknown; and if at the end of the year, the taxes, doctor's bills and the bills at the store and the shoemaker's had been paid the farmer was content and encouraged. He was as prosperous as his neighbors, and his sons and daughters rose up and called him happy.

Now all this is transformed. The hardest work is done by the hired men. The farmer's son has gone to college or he is a clerk in a store, or an incipient broker in Wall street: The farmer is dressed in store clothes and wears a tall hat on Sundays, while his wife and daughters all have silk dresses and know how to play the piano, quite as well as they know how to make butter or cheese. In fact the butter and cheese making are usually carried on by a company in the neighboring creamery; and the young ladies of the house never think of going out to do the milking at morning or night.

The Protective Tariff helps them

A Defense of the President.

During the recent discussion of the Montana case in the United States Senate, Senator Gray, of Deleware, took occasion to criticise President Harrison, whereupon Senator Spooner responded as follows:

The President of the United States needs no defense in the Senate chamber against any such an imputation; he sat here too long; and I say to the Senator from Deleware that the suggestion was hardly worthy of him or the great speech which he delivered here. The President's whole life is ample refutation of any such intimtaiion as that. It is not long since a million hostile eyes were searching this man's record from his boyhood up, eager to find in it some flaw, some speck, something to cavil at. Follow him wheresoever they might, sit with him in his law office, go with him into the courts, hover about him as he led his regiment and brigade into the hell of battle in defense of your liberty and mine over and over again, watch him in the Senate Chamber, with all the anxious, eager search, not one crevice in his armor which develops every man of honest life and of pure purpose, was found or could be found, and the spirit of detraction which has disgraced both sides in the preceding campaign slunk away to appear no more in that contest.

I know of no man who ever sat in the Executive chair less likely than he to be swerved one hair's breadth from the line of what he deems his constitutional duty to please friend or punish foe; and I felt like saying to the Senator when I looked into the point which he made, and found how little there was of it, what a hard-headed but unlettered judge once said when an eminent lawyer went from Chicago at an early day to argue before him a criminal case. He spent half a day in the presence of a great auditory, eagerly listening, presented his point, supported it by authorities, and at last, with an eloquent peroration stopped, and all turned to the judge to know what manner of deliverance he was to make, and he simply said, "Cute point but nothin in it." (Laughter.)

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Consolations for the Democrats.

Philadelphia Ledger.

Democrats are getting their usual off year consolations, gaining unexpected victories in towns, cities and villages where the officers to be chosen are of no importance. They win at the wrong time, but it is the encouragement thus afforded them that keeps the old party not only alive, but a source of constant anxiety to their friends, the Republicans.

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STATE NEWS.

Rev. Geo. A. Sparrow is in the western part of the State preaching. We learn that he has had a call and that he has gone to preach some trial sermons.

The Southern Educational Association will meet at Moreh ead City on the first of July and be in session all the week. This Association is composed of teachers from all over the South.

The large three masted schooner Union, Capt. Nash, in ballast from New York, bound South for lumber, is ashore twenty miles south of Ocracoke. The crew has been saved. The vessle will be a total loss.

The State Convention of the W. C. T. U. of North Carolina, will be held at Concord July 16th, 17th, 18th and 19th. Miss Frances E. Willard, the noted temperance advocate of Illinois, will be in attendance.

The revenue officers made a raid in the South Mountains last week and captured a blockade still eighteen miles below Morganton on the Lower South Fork. They captured five men in the still house, three of whom were asleep.

The Representative meeting of the Society of Friends of North Carolina Yearly Meeting was held 4th month 14th 1890, at Centre, Guilford county. The business of the assembled membership was harmoniously transacted. Strong regrets were expressed on account of the failure of Congress to pass the Educational bill, whereby an advance movement could have been given to the education of our State and the whole country. An earnest appeal was ordered to be made to Congress against making appropriations for military preparation; the nations of the earth are looking to this Republic to take the lead in maintaining a higher stand in Christian civilization, in observing the manifest teachings of the Prince of Peace.

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Contested Election Cases.

Boston Herald.

The Republicans are entitled to the credit of early action on the contested election cases. In this respect their course compares favorably with that of the Democrats. The latter say that this course was taken to increase the Republican majority in Congress. It may be so, but yet it was the fair way to act, all the same. The first duty of a legislative body is to purify its own membership, and in justice, no man who is entitled to a seat should be kept out of it a day more than is necessary, or no one wrongfully occupying a seat should stay in it under like conditions

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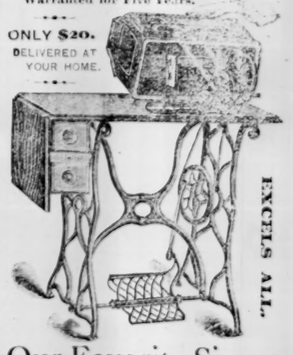

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It is reported that about every county in the Judicial district has a candidate for Solicitor.

State Auditor Sanderlin has sent us a copy of his annual report. We will notice it hereafter.

The potatoes are looking well, the peas are growing and the first planted corn is coming up.

A practical man, one understanding the business, could make a Foundry and Machine Shop pay in Elizabeth City.

The net fishermen have nearly all wound up, and some of the seines have likewise stopped. The balance are still operating. Some have done fairly well; others have lost money.

Col. F. H. Cameron, Inspector General, was here on Friday and inspected the Pasquotank Rifles. He expressed himself as well pleased with the Company and with the appearance of the Armory.

Attention is called to the article, in another column, making the welcome announcement that it is a fixed fact that a palatial and fast running steamer is to be put on the line between Elizabeth City and Newberne.

Supervisor Cobb has completed his examination of the applications sent for Enumerators and has forwarded the result to Superintendent Porter for approval. When formally acted on the names will appear in the CAROLINIAN.

Several letters recently received are not answered because there is ample time for action on the matters referred to. The editor is glad to get the points and suggestions. Such as demand immediate acting on are attended to; the others will be in season.

Thanks to the friends who are voluntarily interesting themselves in adding to the CAROLINIAN subscription list. With a very little effort a good many more could easily induce at least one or two friends to subscribe. It would be the means of doing much good.

This is Federal Court week. Marshal Hill and District Attorney Cooke reached here on Monday, but as Judge Seymour had not arrived Court was adjourned over until yesterday, his Honor coming on the 2 o'clock p m. train. There is little beyond the routine business. In consequence of serious illness, the case of Welcome Lee was continued.

The Elizabeth City Fair was organized to accomplish three things—to be an educator to those engaged in the varied industries of this section, to incite to improvement in all, and to afford opportunity for the enjoyment of a few days of healthful recreation and legitimate amusement to the people. Keeping these objects in view, the Managers are arranging for an elaborate programme for this years' Fair, to be held on the 21, 22 and 23 of October.

The April number of the "Pennsylvania School Journal" contains a likeness and brief biographical sketch of Rev. David J. Waller jr., of Bloomsburg, Pa. who has recently been appointed Superintendent of Public Instruction of Pennsylvania We knew him as a boy and young man. Possessing a bright intellect and being a close student, he impressed us as one who, sooner or later, would occupy a prominent position among the world's workers. We congratulate him and the State.

It sometimes happens that a man who has manifested interest and activity during a campaign, on failing to get an office, all at once declares, "I am out of politics;" others who did the same thing, and likewise failed, set up a howl and vow that they will "smash" things! Now what does all this indicate? Did they work and vote for the party because they believed it principles right, or was it simply to secure some place? Did they act from honest conviction or for personal gain? If the latter, they are only reaping what they deserve,

The particulars of the drowning of Capt. John W. Hill, noticed in last week's CAROLINIAN, were sad and are as follows: He was on his way from Elizabeth City to Washington At Bluff Shoals there came up a heavy squall. He attempted to make anchor. He had no one on the vessel with him but a boy. He was lowering the anchor alone when his feet became entangled in the buoy rope, which was attached to the anchor chain, and being unable to extricate himself he was dragged overboard and under water and was drowned. The little boy hoisted a signal of distress and help came next morning. Capt. Hill was a brother of Capt. E. W. Hill of this place.

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——See Fowler & Co's. 50 cent Shirts for working men.

In reply to "A Constant Reader," the CAROLINIAN will state that the population of the whole United States by the last two censuses was as follows: In 1870, 38,558,377 and in 1880, 50,155,783. It is estimated that the population by the census of 1890 will be about 65,000,000. How this country grows!

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The Edenton *Fisherman & Farmer* says:

Mr. J. L. Rogerson, proprietor of the Woodard House, is having the sitting room and bar of his hotel ceiled in a very pretty and tasty style with North Carolina pine. It is indeed the handsomest piece of work of the kind we have ever seen Mr. Rogerson is a man of much taste and is always adding every improvement possible for the comfort of his guests.

The Woodard House is a capital place to stop at—splendid table, good beds and polite attention.

——Engle & Zoeller's Protographic Gallery is now open.

It has ever been so. Where there has been several applicants for the same place only one can succeed, and others are disappointed. And some of the latter are apt to get disgruntled. We repeat, it has always been so. The difficulty is, there isn't enough places for all the good men who want them. Somebody has got to be "left." It is better to look at the matter philosophically and take things calmly. It is much the wiser course Digestion will be better and sleep more refreshing.

——There was a young woman named Fleet who had bunions all over her feet When she heard the glad news of well fittin shoes, she tumbled right off of her seat. Shoes for all at Moses Weisel's

In reply to several inquries the CAROLINIAN will state that the results of the coming census will be printed in thirteen volumes. The first will give the population in detail; second, health and vital statistics; third, education, pauperism, crime; fourth, trades and professions; fifth, survivors of the late war; sixth, wealth, taxation, etc; seventh, business indebtedness and mortgages; eighth, agriculture; ninth, manufactures; tenth, mining; eleventh, fish and fisheries; twelth, transportation and telegraphy; and thirteenth, insurance.

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"A pebble in the streamlet scant
Has changed the course of many a river,
A dewdrop on the baby plant
Has warped the giant oak forever."

it has kept on, in its humble way, writing, agitating and influencing, as best it could, action in the way of improvement. And it has not been in vain

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Old people should never forget that they were once young, and successful people should keep the fact in mind that once they were climbers and strugglers for a permanent place on the jostling, crowded way of life Life is full of little bitternesses, and the young, instead of being repulsed, shou'd be encouraged—receive some help and a good deal of lenience from the old. Words of encouragment and genuine kindness are more effective and accomplish more good than sarcasm and ridicule. Ah, how many eyes have been made to weep, hearts to ache and little hopes crushed by the wrong word, the cold shoulder and the withholding of the greeting hand of sympathy.

On the 15th inst Mrs. L[illegible]wey Davis, departed this life, aged [illegible] years.

As Mrs. Skinner is a native of Elizabeth City and has always been a favorite in the social circle here the CAROLINIAN takes special pleasure in copying the sketch from the Washington *Star* appearing in another column.

To those who know the value of clover, both as a land fertilizer and for pasturage, it is a wonder that it isn't more generally grown in this locality. The editor of the CAROLINIAN always has his clover lots, and he makes them pay.

LOCAL MENTION

Always glad to see our friends.—Public officials should respect the law by example as well as precept.—The wet weather clearly indicated the streets and sidewalks most needing attention.—What a busy place the oyster canning establishment on Zimmerman's wharf has become!—The lumber shipments from here continue large.—Said a fair minded Democrat, on reading the article in last week's CAROLINIAN on the Ward lines, "Well, I had no idea it was so bad as that. It isn't honest.." Of course it isn't, but what care the "star chamber" ringsters for that?—

"The nights are coming, blissful nights,
The nights of budding, balmy spring,
When 'neath the twinkling stellar lights
Fond couples on the gate will swing."

—A couple of Chinamen from Norfolk came out last week to prospect in relation to establishing a laundry here. Their peculiar dress and appearance attracted considerable attention.—The winds and storm of the past week interfered with the local fish market. Shad and rock were scarce.—The wholesale trade of several of our leading merchants continue on the increase—A Fifth Ward young man is cultivating a mostache,

But it does grow
So very slow,
And he don't know

what sort of fertilizer so apply to his upper lip. Somebody make a suggestion.—Rain, sunshine and cold alternated the past week.—Hugh Cale is back again for a few weeks from Washington City.—Mr. R. W Berry has contracted to build a dwelling house for Mrs. Morgan in the 4th Ward.—There were pleasant hops at the Albemarle on Wednesday and Friday nights,—The new Board of Town Commissioners will organize on the first Monday in May. —The work on Mr. Old's new lumber mill on River Avenue is progressing—The fishermen being supplied with boxes, the season about over, Messrs Kramers and Commander & Son are now preparing for the truckers. It is astonishing to learn how many boxes these firms manufacture every season.—The filling up and leveling of the foot of Main street to the river, in front of Flora's block, very much improves the appearance.—When your friends come or go, leave word at the CAROLINIAN office as it will be glad to notice them.—Register Culpepper reports the local matrimonial market dull. He would have all who are eligible believe that marriage isn't a failure." He is not only ready to issue the license but is prepared to "tie the knot" also.—Cool as the spring has been, many of the flowers are blooming weeks earlier than usual.—Our Young Man reports progress with his sweetheart. He says:

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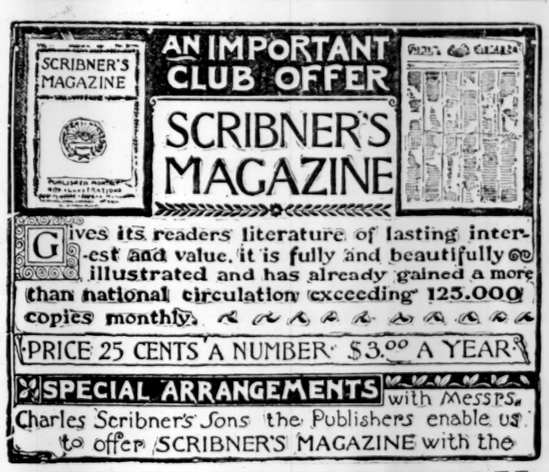
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The Statue of Lafayette for the Paris Monument.

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THE LAFAYETTE STATUE.

thirty-two feet high. The pedestal of white Italian marble will rest upon a granite foundation, and will be surmounted by a statue of Lafayette in bronze over ten feet high. The General is represented at the age of twenty, which was also at this age when he first set out for this country. He is standing, the left hand resting on his unsheathed sword, the right hand half extended. His cloak, hanging over his left arm, falls to the ground behind him. He wears on his breast the decorations of the Society of the Cincinnati. A large cartouche ornaments the face of the pedestal, and encloses the inscription:

"A Lafayette et a ses compagnons d'armes. L'Amerique reconnaissante."

"To Lafayette and to his companions in arms, the gratitude of America."

The sculpture also includes two groups in bronze about ten feet high, Rochambeau and de Grasse on the right, and Duportal, officer of the engineers, and Admiral d'Estaing, all companions of Lafayette on the left.

Under the cartouche there is an allegorical figure of a woman lifting a sword toward Lafayette, a reminder of the sword which was offered to him by the Americans.

The New Tariff Bill.

Mr. McKinley, from the Committee on Ways and Means, introduced the new Tariff bill, with the majority report on it, in the House of Representatives at Washington. The report discusses the effect that the bill will have upon the revenues of the Government. It states that the exact effect is difficult to ascertain.

The Committee have recommended changes in the Internal Revenue law as follows: Abolishing the tax on dealers in leaf tobacco, manufactured tobacco, manufacturers of tobacco and cigars, and peddlers of tobacco; reducing the tax on smoking and manufactured tobacco and snuff from eight cents to four cents per pound.

No reference is made in the report to raw hides, a subject that has given the Republican members of the Committee considerable trouble. They decided to put hides on the dutiable list, but changed that decision, and hides will remain on the free list as at present.

The Committee recommend that all provisions of the statutes imposing restrictions of any kind upon farmers and growers of tobacco, in regard to the sale thereof, be repealed. This will enable the farmers and planters to sell their tobacco wherever and to whomsoever they please with the same freedom they now dispose of other agricultural products.

The Committee conclude that the proposed bill, if enacted into law, will certainly produce the revenue from imports at least $60,995,733, and probably more, and from the internal revenue $10,327,878, or, in the aggregate, $71,264,411.

The bill, as finally agreed upon, removes all tariff on hides and sugar, and gives a bounty of two cents a pound on sugar produced in the United States.

Mr. McKenna, of California, a Republican member of the Ways and Means Committee, submitted a report dissenting from the sugar schedule of the bill.

A minority report was submitted by the Democratic members of the Ways and Means Committee, declaring against the Republican policy of taxing the nation for the benefit of the few. It also declares emphatically against the bounty provision, as taxing the great army of producers of other products for the benefit of those engaged in making sugar.

Levees Are Tottering.

A recent despatch from New Orleans says: The flood situation in Louisiana is now extremely critical. Although only two serious crevasses have occurred thus far—one in North Louisiana and the other sixty miles above this city—many of the most important dikes in the State are seriously threatened. The full force of the flood is at present upon them, as the crest of the flood wave is now passing along the Louisiana front.

The river has been rising steadily for two weeks from Vicksburg to this city, and the highest water of which there is any record has been reached. The prospects are that the river will continue to rise for a week or more, and is likely to go nearly a foot higher.

The danger is regarded as so imminent that many of the planters are removing their stock and personal effects to places of greater safety. To add to the danger the levees have become water soaked by the long continued high water and are much weakened in consequence.

The water in the Atchafalaya is so high that it already flows over the levees in many places and has submerged a large section of Pointe Coupee and Avoyelles parishes. Very little cultivated land has been affected thus far, but the steady rise of the water causes great anxiety.

Many of the most valuable plantations in that section are entirely inundated. The loss will be large, as the crop for the year will be entirely destroyed.

About fifteen hundred people, mostly colored, are now in a state of destitution in the section. The water has been over the land for a month, and there is no probability that it will disappear for another month, and the poorer classes in the affected section are entirely without means of support. An effort is being made to have them supplied with Government rations.

Winter Wedded to Spring.

Gould Rockwell, aged eighty-three, was married a few days ago at Ridgeville, Conn., to Miss Mary Louise Denman, aged twenty-five. Mr. Rockwell has been a widower for forty years. He early amassed a comfortable fortune in the hardware business in Troy, N. Y., retiring from active business forty years ago. He then settled at the old Rockwell homestead in Ridgefield that stood on the main street long before the memorable skirmish there in Revolutionary times, when Wooster fell. For nearly half a century he has lived practically alone. It is said that he has settled $25,000 on his bride.

The bride is a prepossessing blonde, not quite 25 years old, of coyish ways and coquettish glances, and the wedding was only the fourth time she had met her husband. Her former home was in Neversink, Sullivan County, N. Y. The couple first met about three months ago, and their courting has been by tender missives. The girl indignantly denies that she married for money, but the gossips are unwilling to accept her avowal.

The marriage was a quiet one, at the residence of the bride's uncle, the Rev. Charles M. Seabeck, of Norwalk, performing the ceremony. The couple left town on the afternoon train, amid the din of torpedoes, the blowing whistles, and the loud huzzahs of the small boy.

Blew His Brother's Head Off.

A sensational tragedy occurred at noon at the country residence of O. P. Ziner, of Stark County, North Dakota.

Albert Ziner entered the house of his brother, O. P. Ziner, and insulted the latter's wife, whereupon O. P. Ziner seized a shotgun and literally blew his brother's head off.

Albert died almost instantly, and the brother was arrested. A great crowd gathered at the jail at nightfall, and it was feared the prisoner would be lynched before dawn.

The Sheriff was powerless to withstand the mob, and had no opportunity to spirit his prisoner away.

To Irrigate the Northwest.

Much interest is being aroused throughout the Canadian Northwest over the proposal of the Dominion Government to inaugurate a system of irrigation throughout this country. Last summer, owing to the great drought, the crops in Manitoba, as well as the Northwest Territories suffered greatly. The rainfall is always very light in the Territories, and it is confidently asserted that with the system of the Western States there would be a vast increase in the crops as well as in the area cultivated. It is likely the Dominion Government will have the matter thoroughly inquired into during recess.

Prominent Texans Murdered.

News has reached Madisonville, Texas, of the murder of Captain John Richardson and his wife at their country residence, eight miles from there. Robbery is believed to have been the motive. The murderers who had accepted their hospitality for the night. Captain Richardson was one of the oldest and most respected citizens of Madison County

Seventeen Girls Killed.

A fatal accident occurred at Bergamo, Italy. The roof of a weaving mill in which 300 girls were at work fell in, and seventeen of the girls were killed.

MONTANA'S SENATORS.

The Republican Claimants Win in the United States Senate.

Montana is represented in the United States Senate by two Republicans. By a strict party vote—32 to 26—Wilbur F. Sanders and Thomas C. Powers have been declared entitled to the long vacant seats for the new State. After some debate Mr. Butler, of South Carolina, endeavored to have both the majority and minority reports recommitted to the Committee on Privileges and Elections, but failed. Later Mr. Butler offered a resolution declaring that in the judgment of the Senate there had been no choice of United States Senators from the State of Montana. This was defeated by a party vote—yeas 23, nays 31. The vote in favor of Messrs. Sanders and Powers followed, and the two new Senators immediately took the oaths of office and their seats.

The newly seated Montana Senators, Messrs. Sanders and Powers, drew lots, in accordance with a resolution offered by the Committee on Privileges and Elections, to determine which should serve out the three-year term and which the five.

Under the terms of a resolution presented in executive session by Mr. Hoar the Clerk placed in a box two papers of equal size, bearing the numbers one and two. Senator Sanders drew No. 1 and Senator Powers No. 2. Vice-President Morton thereupon announced that Senator Sanders would be placed in the class of Senators whose terms expire on March 3, 1893, and Senator Powers in the class whose terms expire on March 3, 1895.

The two Montana Senators have had their desks moved over to the Republican side, and they will be near neighbors in the future of Senator Pierce, of North Dakota, and Senators Moody and Pettigrew, of South Dakota.

SWEPT INTO THE RIVER.

Passengers Drowned Because of a Steamboat Captain's Carelessness.

The Handy Boy, a little steamer carrying about seventy-five passengers, plying between East Saginaw, Mich., and Bay City, on the Saginaw River, left her dock on a regular trip with about thirty-five passengers.

It was necessary for her to pass through the draw of the Flint and Pere Marquette Railroad bridge, and at her signal the draw was opened for her passage. Just at this moment Captain Dolsen left the wheel and began collecting fares, giving the wheel in charge of some one, nobody seems to know whom. At any rate the boat shied off and struck a pier with a terrific crash sixty feet from the middle of the draw passage.

The whole upper deck, with about eighteen passengers, was swept off into the river, part of the debris crashing down on the deck below. Boatmen on the shore saw the disaster and at once put off to the rescue of the people struggling in the water or clinging to the wreck and the piers. The Handy Boy did not sink, but lay a wreck against the pier, thus averting greater loss of life.

Most of the passengers were easily rescued, but those in the water were saved with much difficulty. It is certain that six were lost. Miss Mary Haight and Mrs. Catherine Navit, of East Saginaw, are among them.

Captain Dolsen, as soon as he reached the shore, disappeared and could not be found. It was supposed that he had fled.

A RED PROPHET.

He Says a Big Flood is Coming to Wipe Out the Pale Faces.

Meat Axe, the big Shoshone medicine man, has predicted a flood, to occur in July, and wipe out the heartless pale faces. He says the visitation is retribution for the unjust conduct of the whites in confining 2000 Indians on a little reservation of 2,000,000 acres, circumscribing them so they don't get a shot more than once a year. Runners have been sent all over the reservation and to the Crows, Cheyennes and Sioux, to herald the calamity, and a rush of Indians to the Wind River Mountains, the scheduled haven, is anticipated.

Meat Axe exhibited considerable ingenuity in arranging for the general sousing. He has it that all the whites and half breeds will be drowned, and that the game will apparently lie to make the play strong, but that as the waters recede the beasts will revive, to become the prey of the braves.

FIRED BY NIHILISTS.

One of the Russian Czar's Palaces Burned to the Ground.

The Russian Imperial Palace, of Oranienbaum, on the Gulf of Finland, has been burned to the ground with all its contents. The fire was started by Nihilists, who had frequently threatened to burn the palace.

The flames broke out in the night, and spread with such astonishing rapidity as to indicate that the fire was set simultaneously in different parts of the building. Seven inmates, cut off from escape, perished in the flames.

The palace was a favorite residence of the Czar Nicholas. It contained many historical relics of great value, including the coronation garments of the Empress Catharine, locks of the same Empress's hair, and a set of ship-builders' tools, which belonged to Peter the Great.

THE MARKETS.

16		
NEW YORK.		
Beeves	4 00	@ 5 00
Milch Cows, com. to good	20 00	@48 00
Calves, common to prime	4 00	@ 6 00
Sheep	4 50	@ 7 00
Lambs	4 00	@ 6 50
Hogs—Live	4 40	@ 4 70
Dressed	4¾	@ 7
Flour—City Mill Extra	4 35	@ 4 60
Patents	4 90	@ 5 50
Wheat—No. 2 Red	92¾	@ 94¾
Rye—State	59	@ 59½
Barley—Two-rowed State	48	@ 50
Corn—Ungraded Mixed	39	@ 42¾
Oats—No. 1 White	—	@ 34½
Mixed Western	29	@ 32½
Hay—No. 1	—	@ 85
Straw—Long Rye	80	@ 90
Lard—City Steam	—	@ 6 15c
Butter—State Creamery	17	@ 19
Dairy, fair to good	12	@ 18
West. Im. Creamery	8	@ 14
Factory	6	@ 13
Cheese—State Factory	8½	@ 11½
Skims—Light	2	@ 9¾
Western	8	@ 10¾
Eggs—State and Penn	—	@ 12½
BUFFALO.		
Steers—Western	2 50	@ 5 00
Sheep—Medium to Good	6 15	@ 6 30
Lambs—Fair to Good	7 15	@ 7 30
Hogs—Good to Choice Yorks	4 40	@ 4 45
Flour—Family	3 85	@ 4 50
Wheat—No. 2 Northern	—	@ 89
Corn—No. 3, Yellow	36¾	@ 37
Oats—No. 2, White	—	@ 33
Barley—No. 1 Canada	64	@ 65
BOSTON.		
Flour—Spring Wheat Pat's	5 00	@ 5 50
Corn—Steamer Yellow	42½	@ 45¾
Oats—No. 2 White	32	@ 37
Rye—State	58	@ 60
WATERTOWN (MASS.) CATTLE MARKET.		
Beef—Dressed weight	4	@ 6½
Sheep—Live weight	5¼	@ 6¾
Lambs	5¾	@ 6¾
Hogs—Northern	—	@ 5½
PHILADELPHIA.		
Flour—Penn. family	3 50	@ 3 75
Wheat—No. 2, Red, April	89½	@ 90¾
Corn—No. 2, Mixed, April	39¾	@ 39¾
Oats—Ungraded, White	—	@ 32
Potatoes—Rose	73	@ 80
Butter—Creamery Extra	18	@ 19
Cheese—Part skims	7	@ 8¾

THE NEWS EPITOMIZED.

Eastern and Middle States.

THE assignee of the dry goods firm of John F. Plummer & Co., of New York city, which recently failed, has just made a statement showing liabilities of $877,000 and assets only $75,000.

SIXTY-FIVE children of Blackfeet Indians arrived at the Carlisle (Penn.) training school from the West.

THE first annual convention of the Sailors' and Firemen's unions of the United States was opened in New York city.

ANDREW CAMPBELL, the well-known inventor and manufacturer of printing presses, died in a Brooklyn (N. Y.) ambulance while being taken home after falling in an apoplectic fit.

AT the Appraisers' Stores in New York city the body of a man, who had been strangled, was found imbedded in plaster in a cask, which had been shipped to that port from Copenhagen, Denmark. The cask had been stored there for about three months. The murdered man was a clerk named Meyer, and his slayer was his employer, Philipsen, who is under arrest in Denmark.

THE twenty-fifth annual reunion of the Loyal Legion was held in Philadelphia.

TWELVE HUNDRED AND NINE coke ovens were shut down at Connellsville, Penn., because of a lack of orders. This suspension throws 1200 men out of work.

DEACON JACOB ESTEY, the founder of the great Estey Organ Company, died suddenly of heart disease, in Brattleboro, Vt., at the age of seventy-six.

MRS. CARRIE VANDEGIFT, of Burlington, N. J., has been indicted by the Grand Jury on a charge of attempting to murder her son, Frank C. Norman, by administering small doses of croton oil.

COMMANDER MCCALLA, of the United States vessel Enterprise, was deprived of his sword and placed under arrest at the Brooklyn (N. Y.) Navy Yard, pending a courtmartial for alleged abuse of sailors. Lieutenant Ingersoll was placed in command of the Enterprise.

LOUIS FRANKE & CO., silk importers and manufacturs, of New York city, with a big mill at Paterson, N. J., have assigned. The liabilities are estimated at $800,000 to $900,000 and the assets at $1,200,000.

WILLIAM THORNE, fruit dealer, committed suicide at Albany, N. Y., by jumping from the Senate staircase in the Capitol to the floor below, a distance of seventy feet.

JAMES S. CASWELL, who is under sentence of imprisonment for life for the murder of George Gould, has been married at Montpelier, Vt., to Mrs. Laura Gould, the widow of the murdered man. The marriage took place through the bars of Caswell's cell.

RICHARD H. MATHER, Professor of Greek in Amherst College at Amherst, Mass., is dead at the age of fifty-five. He was a famous Greek scholar and was born in Binghamton, N. Y.

MRS. VANDEGRIFT, of Burlington, N. J., who is accused of attempting to poison her son, was followed on her way to court by a howling mob who wanted to lynch her. In court she was held for trial and locked up in default of bail.

THE funeral services over the remains of Hon. Samuel J. Randall took place at the Metropolitan Presbyterian Church in Washington. Thence the body was taken by special train to Philadelphia, Penn., where it was interred with military honors in West Laurel Hill Cemetery.

South and West.

FIRE broke out in the Northern Pacific machine shops at Ellensburg, Washington, and in a very short time they, with the roundhouse, were totally destroyed. Loss over $100,000.

THE Gilbert Starch Works at Des Moines, Iowa, were burned, loss $100,000. Three employes—two girls and one man—lost their lives.

STATE TREASURER ARCHER, of Maryland, was admitted to bail in $25,000.

GOLD and other precious minerals have been found in large quantities in the Grand Canon of Colorado.

THE Detroit (Mich.) Steel and Spring Company, the largest concern of its kind in the United States, has suspended payment, with liabilities amounting to $300,000.

EDWARD GILLEM and Alex. Gatewood, members of a Klu Klux band, were killed by a fourteen year-old boy named Holland at Pike Place, Mo. They were about to whip his father.

A STORM in Western Nebraska has destroyed the prospects of the growing crops in several counties, and Governor Thayer asks contributions of wheat an l oats for seed.

BONSFIELD & Co.'s wooden ware factory at Bay City, Mich., was burned. Loss $150,000.

GOVERNOR JACKSON, of Maryland, removed Stevenson Archer for malfeasance in office and misappropriation of the funds of the State, and appointed to the vacancy Edwin H. Brown, of Queen Anne County.

BY the explosion of a saw-mill boiler at Gladwin, Mich., Engineer H. M. Carry and his son Aaron were torn to pieces.

BOTH branches of Congress adjourned as a mark of respect to Samuel J. Randall; committees were appointed from the Senate and House to attend the funeral.

THE United States Supreme Court has decided that the State of California had no jurisdiction in the case of United States Marshal Nagle, who was arrested for killing Judge Terry while protecting Justice Field.

THE Commissioner of Indian Affairs has received a telegram from Indian Agent Upshaw, asking for troops to suppress a threatened uprising of the Indians on the Tongue River reservation in Montana.

THE annual session of the National Academy of Sciences began in the hall of the National Museum Building at Washington, the President, Professor O. C. Marsh, of New Haven, presiding.

THE Judge-Advocate-General of the Navy submitted a preliminary report to Secretary Tracy in the McCalla case, recommending that Commander Bowman H. McCalla be tried by court-martial for maltreating seamen on board the United States vessel Enterprise.

THE Oregon Republican State Convention met in Portland and renominated Binger Herman for Congress. D. P. Thompson, of Portland, was nominated for Governor.

PRESIDENT E. J. CONDEAN, of the Southern Wire Works, at Louisville, Ky., disappeared from home several weeks ago. His body was found in the canal. It is thought he was murdered. His life was insured for $20,000.

Washington.

PRESIDENT HARRISON received a portrait of Mrs. Angelica Van Buren, who was mistress of the White House during the Administration of her father-in-law, President Van Buren, and gave orders to have it hung in the Green Parlor along with the portraits of Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Tyler and Mrs. Polk.

THE twenty-eighth anniversary of the emancipation of the slaves in the District of Columbia was celebrated at Washington by a parade of colored military and civic societies. The procession was reviewed by the President from the north portico of the Executive Mansion.

THE Latin-American delegates to the Pan-American Congress gave a dinner to President Harrison at the Arlington Hotel.

THE River and Harbor bill was reported to the House. It carries an appropriation of a little less than $21,000,000.

Foreign.

COLONEL BERMUDEZ has been elected President of Peru.

FIVE THOUSAND dock laborers went on strike in Liverpool, England.

HENRY M. STANLEY, the explorer, visited Dom Pedro, the ex-Emperor of Brazil, at Cannes, France.

A GREAT fire destroyed the gas works in Madrid, Spain.

THE REV. ALEXANDER MACKAY, a noted missionary to Africa, is dead.

CHANCELLOR VON CAPRIVI, Bismark's successor, made his maiden speech as German Chancellor at the opening of the Prussian Diet.

PRESIDENT CARNOT, of France, was enthusiastically received at Aix-les-Bains and Marseilles on his journey to Southern France.

THE steamer Shakharah, from San Jose, Cal., for Hamburg, has been wrecked off the English coast, and her cargo, worth $400,000, is a total loss.

RELIGIOUS instruction in the State schools has been suppressed in Brazil.

THE British steamer Euclid has been sunk near Hartlepool, England, in collision with the British steamer Altyre. The Captain and three of the crew of the Euclid were drowned.

THE riotous coal miners at Ostrau, in Moravia, Austria, have compelled a complete cessation of work in the mines. The strikers attacked a party of soldiers, and in the fight that followed three of the miners were killed, and many wounded. In the Ostrau and Karwin districts there are 30,000 miners out on strike.

AN indescribable reign of terror is spreading itself like a black fog over St. Petersburg, Russia. All the local prisons are so crowded with the arrested students that impromptu places of detention are being provided, and half the people one meets on the streets are out striving to secure influence to aid the release of some sister or brother who is imprisoned.

SAMUEL J. RANDALL.

The Famous Democratic Statesman Breathes His Last.

A Sad and Pathetic Scene at the Death-bed.

SAMUEL JACKSON RANDALL.

Samuel Jackson Randall is dead. The great Democratic leader and statesman died at 5:04 o'clock in the morning at his home in Washington City. The end came peacefully while the distinguished sufferer was surrounded by his wife and children, Postmaster-General Wanamaker and his medical attendants.

Mr. Randall was a victim of cancer of the bowels. The malady seized him nearly two years ago, and his sufferings have been intense. On many occasions his death was thought to have been a question of hours, but his splendid physique enabled him to ward off the inevitable.

The story of the sick-room and the death-bed scene is a peculiarly pathetic one. There was not a moment in the last three days, before his death, when it was not believed that Mr. Randall was at the point of death. All of the last night the patient was attacked frequently by sinking spells. Fits of hiccoughing followed. Though unconscious a greater part of the time he was able to whisper his wants. Plum preserves appeared to relieve him. Just after 1 o'clock A. M. he was seized with a violent choking spasm. Postmaster-General Wanamaker sat at the bedside at the time, and Dr. Mallen hastened to his aid. The physician removed a large piece of phlegm from the throat with his fingers, after which the patient breathed more freely. From that hour on Mr. Randall's strength gradually failed.

Mrs. Randall, her two sisters, Mrs. Hyatt and Mrs. Swann, the ex-Speaker's brother, Robert Randall, his daughters, Mrs. Lancaster and Miss Susie Randall, his son, Samuel J. Randall, Jr., and his son-in-law, C. C. Lancaster, and the Postmaster-General gathered about the deathbed just before 5 o'clock A. M. The patient convulsively seized Mr. Wanamaker's hand and pressed it with all the strength he possessed. Mrs. Randall, completely overcome, knelt at the bedside and sobbed as if her heart would break. Suddenly Mr. Randall gassed. His devoted wife looked up. The dying husband and father for the last time recognized her, whispering the single word, "Mother," and as he uttered the word his spirit had fled. Mrs. Randall fell back into the arms of the Postmaster-General and had to be carried from the room.

As soon as the sad news reached the Capitol the Stars and Stripes were placed at half mast on the roof of the House.

Early in the morning the President and Mrs. Harrison drove to the Randall residence. Both did what they could to comfort the afflicted family. Vice-President and Mrs. Morton, Secretary and Mrs. Blaine, Secretary Tracy and other members of the Cabinet, as well as Senators and Representatives, flocked to the house, but few were admitted, and those who were not simply left messages of sympathy.

Mr. Randall came to Washington early in last November a sick man, but with hopes of improvement. He expected to be able to take his seat in the House when Congress met in December but when Congress convened he was unable to leave his home. Subsequently the oath of office as a Representative was administered at his residence by Speaker Reed, and Mr. Randall was made a member of the Committees on Rules and Appropriations, the two important committees he had served on for so many years.

Mr. Randall joined the Presbyterian Church about two months ago. Mr. Wanamaker spoke to him on this subject, and Mr. Randall replied that he had been thinking of this matter for some time and would like to become a member of the Church. Arrangements were made by which he entered the Metropolitan Presbyterian Church, on Capitol Hill, Dr. Chester, pastor.

The news of the ex-Speaker's death spread rapidly about Washington, though it was Sunday morning, and general grief and sympathy were expressed both in and out of political circles. The Sergeant-at-Arms of the House at once took charge of the body and of the funeral arrangements.

Sketch of Mr. Randall's Career.

Samuel Jackson Randall was born in Philadelphia on October 10 1828. He came into public life as a very early age as a Democrat, and has never since been retired even temporarily. He served four years in the Common Council of his native city, and one term—1858-59—in the Pennsylvania Legislature as a State Senator. Mr. Randall was first elected to Congress in 1862. He commenced his Congressional life in December, 1863, in the Thirty-eighth Congress in which the Hon. James G. Blaine served his first term, only two years after his old friend, but political opponent of thirty years' standing, the late William D. Kelley, had commenced a career in Congress that lasted nearly thirty years. Mr. Randall was returned at every succeeding election, and at the time of his death had served twenty-six years in Congress, or through thirteen Congresses. He was elected for a fourteenth term, but though he took the oath and qualified as a member, he was not able, because of failing health, to take his seat in the present Congress.

Mr. Randall was a candidate for Speaker of the Forty-fourth Congress in 1875, but was defeated by the Hon. Michael C. Kerr, by whom he was appointed Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations. At the second session of the same Congress, Mr. Randall was chosen for Speaker—Mr. Kerr having died during the recess. Mr. Randall was re-elected Speaker in the Forty-fifth Congress by the Democrats in 1877.

By reason of long service and close attention to his duties, Mr. Randall became the most expert parliamentarian on the Democratic side of the House. In familiarity with the rules and all branches of parliamentary law, he, perhaps, had no superior in either party, and as far back as 1880, when the great contest over the Force bill took place at the close of the Forty-third Congress, Mr. Randall was, by common consent, assigned the leadership of the Democratic minority.

Perhaps the domestic side of Mr. Randall's life was the most attractive. While yet young he married a daughter of General Aaron Ward, of Sing Sing, N. Y., a member of Congress at intervals from 1827 to 1843. She was, in every sense of the word, a model wife. No man ever had a more faithful or devoted helpmeet.

Few men were more successful than he in carrying a debate through to a satisfactory conclusion, but his strength lay more in the dogged perseverance with which he piled up indisputable facts and statistics than in any charm of manner or grace of oratory.

Though so many years in the public service he was one of the poorest men in Congress. His worldly possessions consisted of a very plain residence on C street, near First street, Capitol Hill, Washington.

Mr. Randall entered the Civil War as a private and rose to the rank of Sergeant.

EMPEROR MENELEK, of Abyssinia, has written a letter to Prime Minister Crispi authorizing Italy to reoccupy at once the Brussels Anti-Slavery Congress, and affirming the intention of Ethiopia to follow the example of civilized Christian nations and to repress the slave trade.

THE price of petroleum has declined thirty cents per barrel within the last two months, chiefly by reason of an increase in the production of 21,000 barrels per day.

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AT DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS.

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FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

In the Senate.

81ST DAY.—The consideration of the Montana Senatorial election case was resumed, and Mr. Evarts addressed the Senate on the subject....The World's Fair bill was reported to the Senate; one of the amendments provides for a naval review in New York harbor in April, 1893....Mr. Cullom introduced a bill to establish a first-class mail and steamship service between Tampa, Fla., and Aspinwall, Central America, for a term of five years.

82D DAY.—The Senate passed a large number of bills, including the Senate bill transferring the Weather Bureau to the Department of Agriculture.

83D DAY.—When the message from the House announcing the death of Mr. Randall and the appointment of a committee to attend his funeral had been read Mr. Cameron rose, and, in a voice tremulous with emotion, offered a resolution expressing deep regret and providing for the appointment of a committee to attend the funeral. The resolutions were agreed to, and Senators Quay, Allison, Dawes, Voorhees and Eustis were appointed the committee on the part of the Senate. As a further mark of respect to Mr. Randall's memory the Senate then adjourned.

84TH DAY.—Mr. Evarts presented the amendments he proposes to offer to the bill providing for a special enumeration and certification of Chinese residents by the census officials....Further debate on the Montana Senatorial election took place, no final action being taken.

85TH DAY.—The Montana case was disposed of, and the Republican contestants, Messrs. Sanders and Powers, were sworn in....The Chinese Enumeration bill was killed ...Mr. Barbour introduced a bill providing for the purchase of several original journals and other relics belonging to George Washington, and now owned by Lawrence Washington, of Fauquier County, Va.... Mr. Chandler reported favorably the bill to recognize the services of Chief Engineer George W. Melville, of the Navy, and the other officers and men of the Jeannette Arctic Relief Expedition....Bills appropriating $150,000 additional for continuing the erection of the public building at Worcester, Mass., and $100,000 for a public building at Newburg, N. Y., were passed.

86TH DAY.—The Montana Senators drew lots, Mr. Powers getting the five-year term, and Mr. Sanders the three-year term.... The House resolution for thirty additional medical examiners in the Pension Bureau was amended and adopted in Committee of the Whole....Several public building appropriation bills were passed....Mr. Quay introduced a bill directing the Secretary of the Navy to reopen League Island Navy Yard, Philadelphia....The bill for the appointment and retirement of John C. Fremont as Major General was passed....On motion of Mr. Gray the House bill to transfer the revenue cutter service from the Treasury Department to the Navy Department was taken up for consideration. It was debated during the remainder of the session, but no vote was reached. Mr. Sherman strongly opposed the transfer.

In the House.

91ST DAY.—The consideration of the contested election case of Waddill against Wise, of the Third Virginia District, was begun.

92D DAY.—The contested election case of Waddell against Wise, of Virginia, was decided by the adoption of the majority report of the Committee on Privileges and Elections declaring that Waddell, the Republican contestant, is entitled to the seat. Mr. Waddell appeared at the bar of the House and took the oath of office.

93D DAY.—An air of sadness pervaded the chamber when the Speaker's gavel called the House to order. Draped in black and ornamented with a handsome floral design, the seat so long occupied by Mr. Randall recalled to members that their old colleague had passed away forever. The crayon portrait of the ex-Speaker, hung in the lobby, was also tastefully draped with the emblems of mourning. The Chaplain offered a prayer. Mr. O'Neill then offered a resolution expressing the deep regret and profound sorrow of the House on hearing of the death of Mr. Randall, and providing for the appointment of a committee of nine members of the House, with such members of the Senate as may be joined, to attend the funeral. The resolutions were unanimously adopted, and the Speaker appointed the following committee: Messrs. O'Neil, Carlisle, Harmer, Holman, Cannon, Forney, Springer, McKinley and Reilly. The House then adjourned for the day.

94TH DAY.—The Holman amendment to strike out the provision in the Naval Appropriation bill for three battleships was stricken out, and the bill was passed....The bill to define and regulate the jurisdiction of the courts of the United States was passed by a vote of 131 to 13, the Speaker counting a quorum....Mr. Martin submitted a report on the Morrill Service Pension bill. The report criticises the age qualifications of the bill

95TH DAY.—A bill was called up amending the Alien Land law so as to permit foreign capital to be invested in mines of gold, silver, lead, tin, cinnabar and copper....The House passed the Military Academy Appropriation bill....Mr. Bergen called up the contested election case of Posey against Farrett, from the First Indiana District. The committee reports unanimously in favor of Farrett, the sitting member. The resolution was adopted.... Mr. Rowell called up the contested election case of Bowen against Buchanan, from the IXth District of Virginia. The resolution, which confirms the right of the sitting member, was adopted....Mr. Squire introduced a bill appropriating $100,000 for the erection of the equestrian statue of General Grant in Washington City....Mr. Raines introduced bills for the erection of public buildings at the following places in New York: Hornellsville, Geneva and Corning....Majority and minority reports on the Revenue bill were presented.

96TH DAY.—Mr. Wallace reported, with amendments, the bill he recently introduced providing for the sale of navy yard and naval hospital lands in Brooklyn....An adjournment was taken, immediately after the reading of the *Journal*, out of respect for Mr. Randall.

THE wonderful clock of Thomas Fitzsimmons of Pittston, Penn., which took him four years to make, was destroyed by fire while on exhibition in Owego, N. Y. The inventor valued his work at $15,000 and refused $7000 for it a few days ago. His friends fear that the loss will affect his mind. The clock was insured for $5000.

A GRAND butter and dairy exhibition, under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute of Miami County, and the first of this nature in the United States, has been held in Peru, Ind. Dairy products of every kind were on exhibition from all parts of the country.

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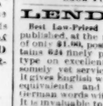

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